

TRACTS U-a/U-b
Coordination Meeting Agenda
April 21, 1983

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DATE: April 11, 1983

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REPLY TO
ATTN OF: Don Johnson

U-26194

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SUBJECT: U-a/U-b Tract Coordination Meeting of March 23, 1983

TO: Coordination Meeting File

The coordination meeting began at 9:30 a.m. at the WRSOC office at Vernal, Utah. Attendees at the meeting were:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Location</u>
Jim Godlove	White River Shale Oil Corp.	Salt Lake City
Dan Gardner	BLM	Vernal
Bob Nicholson	City-County Planning	"
Don Johnson	USDI-BLM-OSO	Grand Junction
John Miley	" " "	"

ACTIVITY REPORT FOR TRACTS U-a/U-b

Development of the first leg of the decline has extended beyond the halfway point with about 1025' of the decline completed using the Paurat mining machine. To aid in decline development, a temporary conveyor has been installed to transport muck to the surface. A five cubic yard LHD is used to transfer muck from the mining machine to the conveyor.

The Mine Services Building is essentially complete and moving operations are underway. This building will be provided with a path until the sewage and water treatment plants are complete sometime in April or early May. Both plants are behind schedule.

The Ventilation Shaft is down to 27' and holding until collar forms are completed. Ground control problems changed earlier plans to develop the shaft to 100' and then pour the collar.

The runoff retention dam continues on schedule with the core trench on the west abutment in progress. Grouting that has been completed indicates a relatively tight formation.

WRSOC has an updated water alternatives study underway with six or seven alternatives to the preferred source from the proposed White River dam. The project will have a firm water commitment by the end of this year.

Routine environmental monitoring was conducted during the month. Aquatic biology work was resumed after the spring thaw on the river.

Tract employment peaked out at about 189 employees and is now about 167 (see Table 1). A level of about 160 employees is expected for the future months.

An updated permit status report is attached as Appendix 1. This permit report reflects changes from the previous permit report. Please refer to the February coordination report for the remaining permits list.

ANTICIPATED ACTIVITIES FOR APRIL 1983, TRACTS U-a and U-b

Continue decline and shaft development.

Move into Mine Services Building.

Continue work on runoff retention dam.

Continue work on sewage and water treatment plants.

Continue routine environmental monitoring.

NOTE: The next tract coordination meeting will be 9 a.m., April 21, at the mine services building on the tract. We urge you to come see this new building and to find out about progress at the tract.

Permits/Approvals Acquired as of 3/22/83

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80. OSO approval for Bank Stabilization Plans (2/10/83)
81. DOGM approval to expand limits of work area to 470 acres.
(2/18/83)
82. County Building Permit for additional mine related temporary
structures (1/25/83)
83. UBWPC approval to discharge BNA water quality test waters
(2/3/83)
84. TUP for clay borrow area test pits - BLM (2/4/83)
85. Permit to Appropriate Runoff for Retention Dam and Pond -
Utah Division of Water Rights (2/16/83)
86. Clay Borrow Permit - BLM (3/7/83)

TABLE 2

Permit Application/Approval Request/Plans Submitted to Cognizant
Agency as of 3/22/83

1. DDP Update - OSO (9/3/82)
2. NPDES for Runoff Retention Dam - EPA (3/14/83)
3. UIC Permit for mine water disposal - UBWPC (3/14/83)

TABLE 3

Permit Applications/Approval Requests/Plans in Preparation
as of March 22, 1983
(submittal date)

Miscellaneous:

1. Fuel Use Act Exemption (July 1, 1983)
2. UBAQ Construction Permit for diesel fired temporary electric generators (April 18, 1983)
3. ROW for permanent power (April 15, 1983)

WHITE RIVER SHALE PROJECT - NO. OF EMPLOYEES

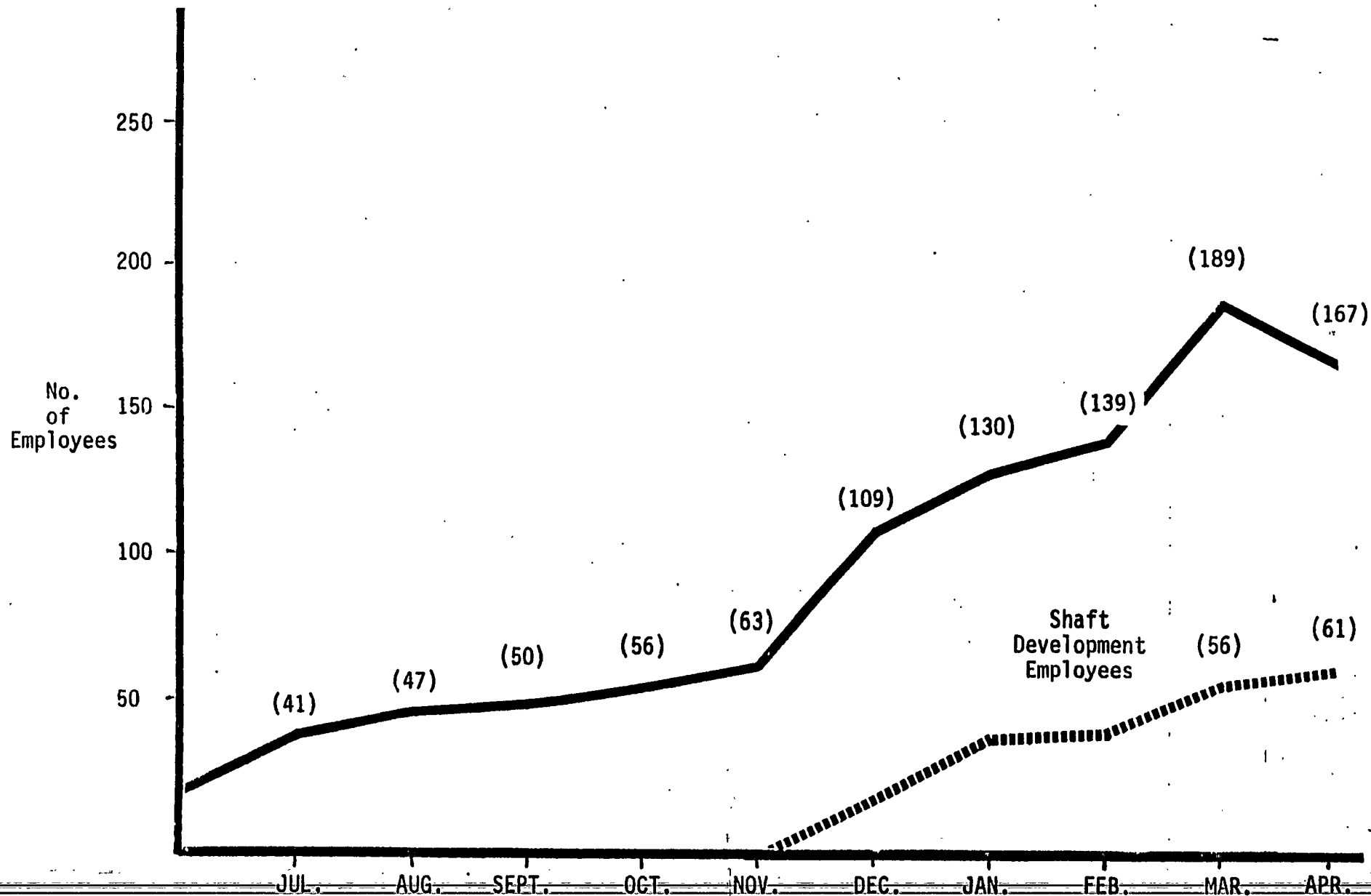


TABLE 1

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